

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

COUNTY OF MARIN

DIVISION OF HEALTH SERVICES

EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES

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EMS MEDICAL DIRECTOR

Contracted Position, dedicated 30 hours/month

Monthly Salary: \$2,250, EMDAC, NAEMSP memberships; liability insurance

Open and Continuous

Responsibilities

The Marin County EMS Medical Director is responsible for providing medical control and assuring medical accountability throughout the planning, implementation and evaluation of the EMS system.

Scope of Duties

Proactive involvement in all activities and with all relationships necessary to accomplish responsibilities. Examples of duties include the following: Within the limitations of state regulations, determine the scope of medical practice of prehospital personnel; participate in formulation of select policy/procedural changes; review and approve all policy/procedure changes; review and approve all contracts, agreements, politically sensitive material; actively participate in CQI activities, particularly related to Trauma System activities; participate in EMS disaster preparedness activities; be available for emergency consultation or authorization for EMS related functions.

Qualifications

Licensed as a physician in California, with board certification in Emergency Medicine

Have work experience in a basic level emergency department on a regular basis within the last five years, trauma system experience desirable, must not be currently employed by a provider hospital in Marin County.

Demonstrate substantial contact with and/or knowledge of prehospital care practices in California and the laws and regulations pertinent to an EMS system.

Background

Marin county, with a population of 246,000, provides paramedic level services through a fire-based system. There are 8 providers authorized in the county, 7 providing ALS services. Three acute care hospitals are located in the county, which is implementing a new Trauma System January 1, 2001. The system operates as a "receiving hospital" system and all ALS providers have part-time provider-based medical directors. A state-of-the-art electronic data collection and audit system is in place. System details, including policies and procedures, can be found at ems.marin.org.

Applications

Apply to the EMS Program Office at the above address by submitting a letter indicating your desire to apply for the position, your qualifications for the position, and a CV.